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ITEM 1. Proposed Project

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ITEM 2. Project Coverage

Frank Raines OHV Park has approximately 500 acres of OHV riding with about 75 miles of trails. La Grange OHV Park has approximately 150 acres of open ridding.

ITEM 3. Describe the frequency of the patrols

Stanislaus County has two OHV parks. There are presently four full time sheriff deputies assigned to patrol the two parks. Two deputies are on at a time, everyday of the week. These two deputies are in one of the two parks daily from September through May. In the future, we hope to be able to increase this to year round with additional staffing.

ITEM 4. Deployment of Personnel

The Sheriff's department has assigned four full time deputies for patrol inside the two OHV parks. There is also one Sergeant, and one Lieutenant assigned part time to supervise the unit.

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1. Identify areas with high priority law enforcement needs because of public safety, cultural resources, and sensitive environmental habitats, including wilderness areas and areas of critical environmental concerns:

Frank Raines OHV Park is located 16 miles west of Patterson off of Del Puerto Canyon Road. The current OHV Park has 500 acres open to riding and 300 acres fenced off for future expansion pending environmental review. One of our largest problems at this park is trespassing into the closed areas of our park, and onto the private property adjoining the park. With the increased patrol at this park the reports of trespassing has dropped significantly. Our other park is La Grange OHV located 18 miles east of Waterford. This park has approximately 150 acres of hills and open riding. This location is made up of an old gold dredge site which is covered in river rocks. This makes which for some difficult riding. In the past the largest problem we experienced at this park was both dirt bike riders and quad riders not using a helmet. It was not uncommon to have air ambulance respond to the park every weekend for an emergency. After we stepped up patrols, we have very few reports of riders without helmets.

2. Describe how the proposed Project relates to OHV Recreation and will sustain OHV Recreation, motorized off-highway access to non-motorized recreation, or OHV Opportunities associated with the Project Area:

This grant will allow us to purchase needed equipment to both patrol and perform rescues at our two OHV Parks in our county. These parks are located on opposite ends of our county. They are in the foothill areas, where both radio and phone communication do not work. The equipment requested will grant us better communications and give us the emergency first aid equipment we so desperately need.

3. Describe the Applicant's formal or informal cooperation with other law enforcement agencies:

The California Highway Patrol is the only other agency we work in conjunction with at our OHV Parks. The California Highway Patrol will respond at our request to take a report of any OHV motor accident.

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4. Does the Applicant recover a portion of the law enforcement costs directly associated with privately sponsored OHV events where sponsors have obtained a local permit? ☐ Yes ☒ No
(Please select Yes or No)

Explain

N/A

5. The Applicant agrees to implement a public education program that includes information on safety programs available in the area and how to report OHV violations? ☒ Yes ☐ No
(Please select Yes or No)

6. Describe the Applicant's OHV law enforcement training program including how the training program educates personnel to address OHV safety and natural and cultural resource protection:

At present the members of SVOU are members of the Tread Lightly program. We hand out Tread Lightly pamphlets as well as pamphlets we have received from the State Parks OHV program. Last year, the unit printed our own information handout that was dispersed at both parks.

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7. Is the proposed project in accordance with local or federal plans and the OHMVR Division Strategic Plan? ☒ Yes ☐ No
(Please select Yes or No)

8. LOCAL AGENCIES ONLY - Describe the Applicant's policies and/or agreements regarding enforcement on federal land:

We do not have any Federal land in our jurisdiction.

9. COUNTIES ONLY - Describe how the OHV in-lieu of tax funds are being used and whether the use of these fees

complements the Applicant's project:

The Sheriff's Department does not receive any in-lieu funds for our OHV program. All of the department's OHV patrol and equipment expenses are funded through the Sheriffs Department general budget.

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10. APPLICANTS WHO MANAGE OHV RECREATION FACILITIES – Describe how your organization is meeting its operation and maintenance needs:

We do not manage any OHV recreation facilities.

11. The Applicant agrees to enforce the registration of OHVs and the other provision of Division 16.5 commencing with Section 38000 of the vehicle code and to enforce other applicable laws regarding the operation of OHVs? (Please select Yes or No) ☒ Yes ☐ No

Project Cost Estimate for Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program - 2008/2009
Agency: Stanislaus County Sheriff's Department
Application: Law Enforcement

6/2/2009

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APPLICANT NAME :	Stanislaus County Sheriff's Department		
PROJECT TITLE :	Law Enforcement	PROJECT NUMBER (Division use only) :	
PROJECT TYPE :	<input type="checkbox"/> Acquisition <input type="checkbox"/> Development <input type="checkbox"/> Education & Safety <input type="checkbox"/> Ground Operations <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Law Enforcement <input type="checkbox"/> Planning <input type="checkbox"/> Restoration		
PROJECT DESCRIPTION :	<p>Stanislaus County has two OHV Parks totaling approximately 650 acres. Frank Raines OHV Park is closed from May through October on the request of Cal Fire due to the lack of full time patrol at this park in the high fire season. We would like to be able to staff this park year round and provide patrol at this park so it could be kept open year round. La Grange OHV Park is open year round but we are not able to patrol this park daily during the summer months due to staffing levels and other SVOU commitments. We would also like to be able to patrol this park year round.</p> <p>The SVOU unit provides education programs by visiting Boy Scout troops, clubs, community events, and schools in our county. We show the equipment we have for patrol and rescues inside the parks, as well as answer question about OHV laws and safe riding.</p>		

	Line Item	Qty	Rate	UOM	Grant Request	Match	Total
DIRECT EXPENSES							
Program Expenses							
1	Staff						
	Law Enforcement Officers	4.000	56117.500	FTE	0.00	224,470.00	224,470.00
	Sergeant	1.000	16580.000	HRS	0.00	16,580.00	16,580.00
	Supervisor	1.000	15974.000	HRS	0.00	15,974.00	15,974.00
	Total for Staff				0.00	257,024.00	257,024.00
2	Contracts						
3	Materials / Supplies						
4	Equipment Use Expenses						
	Vehicle Operations and Maintenance Notes : (2) 2009 Jeep Rubicons	2.000	9346.000	YR	0.00	18,692.00	18,692.00
	Vehicle Operations and Maintenance Notes : (3) Dodge 1500 4X4 Pick-Ups	3.000	9346.000	YR	0.00	28,038.00	28,038.00

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	Vehicle Operations and Maintenance Notes : (2) Ford Expeditions 4X4 (1) Chev Tahoe 4X4	3.000	9346.000	YR	0.00	28,038.00	28,038.00
	Vehicle Operations and Maintenance Notes : (4) DRZ 400 Dirt Bikes	4.000	1800.000	YR	0.00	7,200.00	7,200.00
	Vehicle Operations and Maintenance Notes : (2) Arctic Cats 500cc 4X4 Quads	2.000	1800.000	YR	0.00	3,600.00	3,600.00
	Vehicle Operations and Maintenance Notes : (1) 700 cc Polaris 6X6 Ranger	1.000	1800.000	YR	0.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
	Total for Equipment Use Expenses				0.00	87,368.00	87,368.00
5	Equipment Purchases						
	Other-Arctic Cat 4X4 Quads	3.000	6000.000	EA	18,000.00	0.00	18,000.00
	Other-Suzuki DRZ400 Dirt Bike	1.000	5500.000	EA	5,500.00	0.00	5,500.00
	Other-5X8 Box Trailer	1.000	3500.000	EA	3,500.00	0.00	3,500.00
	Other-Flat Bed Trailer for Quads	1.000	2500.000	EA	2,500.00	0.00	2,500.00
	Other-Radio Repeaters	2.000	5500.000	EA	11,000.00	0.00	11,000.00
	Other-110 watt Vehicle Radios	3.000	2500.000	EA	7,500.00	0.00	7,500.00
	Other-Internal helmet radio communicatio	5.000	1100.000	EA	5,500.00	0.00	5,500.00
	Radar Unit	2.000	1800.000	EA	3,600.00	0.00	3,600.00
	Other-AED'S	5.000	2500.000	EA	12,500.00	0.00	12,500.00
	Laptop Computers	2.000	1500.000	EA	3,000.00	0.00	3,000.00
	Other-Trauma Kits-O2 Kits - Backboards	5.000	1000.000	SET	5,000.00	0.00	5,000.00
	Other-Rappelling Equipment	5.000	1000.000	EA	5,000.00	0.00	5,000.00
	Other-Winches and Bumpers	3.000	2500.000	EA	7,500.00	0.00	7,500.00

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	Satellite Phones	2.000	1550.000	EA	3,100.00	0.00	3,100.00
	Other-2000 watt Honda generators	2.000	1200.000		2,400.00	0.00	2,400.00
	Total for Equipment Purchases				95,600.00	0.00	95,600.00
6	Others						
7	Administrative Costs						
	Administrative Costs-Lieutenant	1.000	10000.000	YR	10,000.00	0.00	10,000.00
Total Program Expenses					105,600.00	344,392.00	449,992.00
TOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES					105,600.00	344,392.00	449,992.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES					105,600.00	344,392.00	449,992.00

Project Cost Summary for Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program - 2008/2009
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Program Expenses					
1	Staff	0.00	257,024.00	257,024.00	
2	Contracts	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3	Materials / Supplies	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4	Equipment Use Expenses	0.00	87,368.00	87,368.00	
5	Equipment Purchases	95,600.00	0.00	95,600.00	
6	Others	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7	Administrative Costs	10,000.00	0.00	10,000.00	
Total Program Expenses		105,600.00	344,392.00	449,992.00	
TOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES		105,600.00	344,392.00	449,992.00	
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ITEM 1 and ITEM 2

ITEM 1

- a. ITEM 1 - Has a CEQA Notice of Determination (NOD) been filed for the Project? ☐ Yes ☒ No
(Please select Yes or No)

ITEM 2

- b. ITEM 2 - Are the proposed activities a "Project" under CEQA Guidelines Section 15378? ☐ Yes ☒ No
(Please select Yes or No)
- c. The Application is requesting funds solely for personnel and support to enforce OHV laws and ensure public safety. These activities would not cause any physical impacts on the environment and are thus not a "Project" under CEQA. (Please select Yes or No) ☒ Yes ☐ No
- d. Other. Explain why proposed activities would not cause any physical impacts on the environment and are thus not a "Project" under CEQA. DO NOT complete ITEMS 3 – 9

ITEM 3 - Impact of this Project on Wetlands

ITEM 4 - Cumulative Impacts of this Project

ITEM 5 - Soil Impacts

ITEM 6 - Damage to Scenic Resources

ITEM 7 - Hazardous Materials

Is the proposed Project Area located on a site included on any list compiled pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the California Government Code (hazardous materials)? (Please select Yes or No) ☐ Yes ☒ No

If YES, describe the location of the hazard relative to the Project site, the level of hazard and the measures to be taken to minimize or avoid the hazards.

ITEM 8 - Potential for Adverse Impacts to Historical or Cultural Resources

Would the proposed Project have potential for any substantial adverse impacts to historical or cultural resources? (Please select Yes or No) ☐ Yes ☒ No

If YES, describe the potential impacts and for any substantially adverse changes in the significance of historical or cultural resources and measures to be taken to minimize or avoid the impacts.

ITEM 9 - Indirect Significant Impacts

CEQA/NEPA Attachment